

Preliminaries . . .

Hollywood Biopic: Frida Kahlo (1907-1954): Mexican Artist

Julie Taymor's *Frida* (2002)

Salma Hayek as Frida Kahlo, Alfred Molina as Diego Rivera



This film contains **mature subject matter**.

If anyone wishes to be excused, there will be no penalty.

You can email me to set up an appointment so we can decide on an alternate film as a substitute for *Frida*. The criteria for the substitute film are:

The film you choose must be by a woman director.

It must be a narrative film – sorry, no documentaries!

The predominant language of the production must be English.

The year of production must be 1990 or later. (Our classroom films all have production years of 1990 or later.)

The written assignment for the film you choose must be similar to the one for *Frida*. Once you have chosen the film, we can talk about what that assignment will be. We can also talk about a due date for the assignment at that time.

